

Remarks

In response to the restriction requirement, Applicants elect group V, claims 32-37. In response to the requirement that Applicants elect one combination for examination, Applicants elect the combination of new claim 43.

New claim 43 recites an array of probes which comprises at least one probe from each of the NORF genes identified by the SAGE tags shown in SEQ ID NOS:67-811. New claim 43 is supported, *inter alia*, at page 9, lines 2-4: "A single array contains at least one NORF probe, but can contain more than 100, 500 or even 1,000 different probes in discrete locations." New claim 44 specifies that each probe comprises one of the recited SAGE tags.

Respectfully submitted,

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